



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

**Takanobu ADACHI et al.**

Application No.: 10/697, 251

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For: GAMING MACHINE

Attorney Docket No.: SHO-0025

Examiner: K. Frisby

Art Unit: 3714

Confirmation No.: **9042**

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

**I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the final Office Action dated August 15, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 21-24, 27 and 28 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 1, 21 and 27 are amended.

**II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

**III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

(There are no amendments to the specification)

DO NOT ENTER

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